

# Jason Haas



#### 14TH DISTRICT COUNTY CONNECTION

**FALL-WINTER 2017** 

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#### **COUNTY BOARD COMMITTEES**

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Finance & Audit, Member



#### Dear Neighbor,

As your Milwaukee County Supervisor, I have the duty of adjusting and passing the annual county budget. This process begins in the second week of October and concludes in early November. We must keep county services, including public safety, parks, and transit, running while meeting our fiscal obligations and honoring the public's wish to avoid a vehicle registration fee (VRF) increase.

The 2018 county budget will be very challenging to complete. The state of Wisconsin has shaved off millions of dollars in shared revenue, leaving the county with less money to work with. The Milwaukee County Board must reckon with these funding cuts, and remove anticipated VRF revenue. In plain terms that will force significant reductions in parks, transit, and public services.

In light of this, what shall the direction of the Milwaukee County Parks System be? The parks system gets just 40% of its funding through the county property tax. The remainder comes from activity fees, rentals, event ticket sales, and concessions revenue. To get more revenue, the 2018 proposed county budget contains plans to charge for parking along the lakefront and within county parks. I strongly stand for keeping our parks free and accessible to everyone. Keeping them free is certainly worth the public investment.

Sincerely,

Súpérvisor Jason Haas, District 14

For an expanded version of this letter, please visit: milwaukee.gov/D14/Newsletters

#### COMMUNITY **MEMBERSHIPS**

- ➤ Airport Gardens **Neighborhood Association**
- ➤ Bay View Dads
- ➤ Bay View Historical Society
- > Bay View Neighborhood Association
- > Friends of Mitchell Airport Park
- > Friends of Morgan Park
- Garden District **Neighborhood Association**
- > Holler Park Neighborhood Association
- ➤ Humboldt Park Friends
- Town of Lake Neighborhood Association
- ➤ Wilson Park Neighborhood Association



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# Please join me for a **Town Hall Meeting**

Supervisor Haas invites you to join him and Supervisor Marina Dimitrijevic to discuss the 2018 Milwaukee County Budget.

Thursday, November 2 - 6:00-7:00 p.m. South Shore Pavilion - 2900 South Shore Dr.

2017 City of Milwaukee Trick-or-Treat Sunday, October 29 - 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

2017 Bay View Night Time Trick-or-Treat

Saturday, October 28 - 5:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Bay View - Bay St. on the North, Howard on the South, Chase/Howell on the West, and the Lake on the East

## Supervisor Haas invites you to enjoy these FREE Milwaukee County attractions!



Free to all the first Thursday of every month, sponsored by Kohl's. County residents get \$2 off every day.

800 W. Wells St., Milwaukee (414) 278-2728 www.mpm.edu



Milwaukee Art Museum Free the first Thursday

of every month for all visitors, sponsored by Meijer.

700 N. Art Museum Dr., Milwaukee (414) 224-3200 www.mam.org



Free on Mondays from 9:00 a.m. to Noon for Milwaukee County residents. Excludes major holidays.

524 S. Layton Blvd., Milwaukee (414) 257-5611 www.milwaukeedomes.org



Family FREE Days & Special Holidays **2017:** 11/4, 12/2. **2018:** 1/6, 2/3, 3/3, 10/6, 11/3, 12/1, Thanksgiving, Christmas & New Year's Day.

10001 W. Bluemound Rd., Milwaukee (414) 256-5412 • www.milwaukeezoo.org

## MKE Airport Runway Maintenance

Some residents may have noticed an increase in aircraft activity over certain neighborhoods in recent days. This is due to regular annual airfield maintenance happening at Milwaukee County's General Mitchell International Airport. The temporary closure of the airport's main east-west runway (Runway 7R/25L) means all landing and departing airline traffic is currently using the main north-south runway (Runway 1L/19R). This runway work is necessary for the safety of airport and aircraft operations, and is expected to wrap up by the end of October. A great way to stay up-to-date on future airport maintenance projects is to subscribe to the MKE Airfield Update e-newsletter: gmiaairfieldupdate.com

#### **Humboldt Park Improvements**



**Above:** The beautiful new cedar shake roof at the Humboldt Park pavilion. **Below:** New bleachers Sup. Haas helped get installed at Humboldt Park, shown at the annual Easter Egg Hunt.



# Get To Know Your County Clerk



I would like to introduce George Christenson, our Milwaukee County Clerk. His office administers county-wide elections, provides support to the Milwaukee County Board of Supervisors, and offers a variety of services to county residents, including:

- Applying for a Marriage License or a Domestic Partnership
- Applying for a Passport
- Sale of Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources licenses and permits (including hunting and fishing licenses)
- Sale of Milwaukee County Transit System bus passes
- Notary Public Services

Please visit the County Clerk's website for additional information on these services: **county.milwaukee.gov/CountyClerk**.

The County Clerk's Office plays an important part in ensuring transparency of our county government by overseeing the County's Legislative Information Center (CLIC). CLIC enables county residents and others to live-stream the meetings of the County Board of Supervisors, its standing committees as well as other select taskforces and special committees. Agenda and Minutes involving those meetings are also available for view on CLIC. Please visit **county.milwaukee.gov/CLIC** to learn more



Supervisor Haas is pictured with Municipal Judges JoAnn Eiring and Derek Mosley. The Milwaukee County Board presented a citation to them at its September meeting for their fearless advocacy of organ donation.

## **Organ Donation**

There are 120,000 people waiting for a life-saving transplant. Every 10 minutes a name is added to the national transplant waiting list. Every day 22 people die from the lack of available organs for transplant. Be a hero, save a life, BE A DONOR. To be listed on the Donor Registry, please go to:

#### www.donatelifewisconsin.org

The process literally takes 2 minutes. The orange sticker on your license is great, but the Registry guarantees your wishes will be followed.

### **Energy Assistance Program**

It may not feel like it, but for the Milwaukee County Energy Assistance Program, October 1 is a new year and a new heating season.

Any household with a utility burden can apply for this onetime, annual benefit. Your benefit is based on your household, your household's income, the size of your home and your utility usage. It's NOT based on whether or not you are behind on your bill or on how much you may owe.

Energy Assistance is not intended to cover your entire bill, but to help make those bills a little more affordable. Every household situation is different, but most households receive a benefit that covers one (1) to two (2) months of utility service. In most cases the energy assistance benefit is paid directly to your household's energy supplier.

Applying is Easy! Make an appointment or walk in to any of our sites. October hours are:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday - 7:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday, Friday - 7:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday - 8 a.m. to noon

There are 6 sites across Milwaukee County for your convenience. All sites are on a bus line and are handicapped accessible.

Northwest - 4906 W. Fond du Lac Ave. Downtown/Central - 728 N. James Lovell St. West Allis - 6761 W. Greenfield Ave. Southeast/Bay View - 2701 S. Chase Ave. South - 5663 S. 27th St.

To schedule an appointment or for more information, call **270-4MKE (270-4653)** or go online to **www.EnergyAssistanceMKE.org** 



North - 6918 W. Brown Deer Rd.

Sup. Haas speaking on an item during a meeting of the full Milwaukee County Board.

Milwaukee Art Museum ......



Sup. Haas toasts his constituents at Holler Park during a stop of the Traveling Beer Garden this summer.

## Service Guide for 14th District Milwaukee County Residents

County Supervisor Jason Haas	.278-4252
Airports	747 5000
Mitchell International Airport	
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Child Support Enforcement	615-2593
Clerk of Circuit Court	.278-5362
County Clerk	.278-4067
County Executive	.278-4211
County Treasurer	.278-4033
Courts	
Civil Division (small & large claims)	.278-4120
Criminal Division	
Children's Court	.257-7700
Department on Aging	000 0074
Department on Aging	289-6874
Dept. of Health & Human Services	
Dept. of Health & Human Services	289-6877

Election Commission ......278-4060

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	Emergency/Public Safety	
	Sheriff (non-emergency)	.278-4700
	Sheriff (non-emergency)	.278-4766
	Burn Center Hotline (24 hours)	.272-2876
	Emergency Management (24 hours) Suicide Prevention/Intervention	.525-5770
	Mental Health Crisis	.257-7222
	Fraud Hotline	93-FRAUD
	House of Correction	
	General and Visiting Information	.427-4700
	Jury Services	
	General Information 278-4468	/278-4469
	Reserve Juror Message	.985-6000
	Low Income Housing/Rent Assistance	.278-4894
	Marcus Center for the Performing Arts	.273-7121
	Marriage Licenses/Passports/DNR Lic.	.278-4067
	Medical Examiner	.223-1200
	Mental Health Complex	.257-6995
	Admitting (Emergency)	

Milwaukee County Parks
Boerner Botanical Gardens525-5600
General Information257-7275
Parks Hotline257-5100
Organized Sports257-8030
Golf Reservations475-6222
Golf Office257-8024
District 14 Parks
Bay View Park (3120 S. Lake Dr.)482-4270
Copernicus Park (2150 W. Klein Ave.) 281-6289
Holler Park (5151 S. 6th St.)281-6289
Humboldt Park (3000 S. Howell Ave.) 482-4270
Mitchell Airport Park (4446 S. Logan Ave.) 482-4270
Morgan Triangle (3404 S. KK Ave.) 482-4270
Saveland Park (3700 S. 2nd St.)482-4270
Tippecanoe Park (1411 E. Warnimont Ave.)482-4270
Wilson Park (1601 W. Howard Ave.)281-6289
Wilson Park Recreation Center281-6289

Milwaukee County Historical Society .. 273-8288

Residents	
Milwaukee County Zoo	771-3040
Milwaukee Public Museum	278-2702
Office of Persons with Disabilities	278-3932
Register in Probate	278-4444
Register of Deeds	278-4021
Sheriff's Department General Information TDD Emergency	
Transit System Bus Routes/Schedules/Fares Customer Comments Transit Plus	937-3218
UW-Extension	256-4600
Veterans Services	266-1234
Victim/Witness Service General Information-Felony	278-4667
City of Milwaukee City Hall/Common Council Night	
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